

## LYNCHBURG.

September 18, 1911.

Misses Marie VanWinkle and Hazel Galliett spent Friday in Blanchester.

Dr. McAdow and father attended a Sunday School Convention in Leesburg Sunday. The doctor made the address.

J. A. Bering returned home last week, after a three weeks visit with their son, Frank, in Chicago.

G. W. Rector and wife, of New York, and Mrs. J. L. Jolly and children, of Dayton, spent a few days last week at the home of Harry Murphy and wife.

Dr. Garner and wife spent Sunday in Blanchester with Mrs. Garner's sister, Mrs. Andrews, who is in very poor health.

The Lynchburg band furnished the music for the Sunday School Celebration at Martinsville Saturday.

Edwin DeLaney met with a very painful accident Friday while at play on the school ground, accidentally falling and breaking two bones, the ulna and radius, and dislocating the wrist.

Joe Troth, who has been visiting friends in Cincinnati, has returned home.

Miss Freda Lafferty is ill at her home near Dodsonville with typhoid fever.

The ladies of the M. E. Church spent Thursday evening with Rev. Gray and family, presenting Mrs. Gray with a nice little sum of money. They left on Thursday for their new home in Blanchester. Best wishes go with them.

Mrs. Lizzie Montgomery spent a part of last week with friends in Hillsboro and Russel.

W. H. McClellan and wife returned home Saturday evening, after a weeks visit with friends in Cincinnati and Lebanon.

Miss Mabel Winn, who spent the summer in California, spent from Friday until Monday with L. L. Paris and family. She returned to her home at Dexter, O., Monday.

Merrick Johnson, of Norwood, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Joe Townsend.

Mrs. Lee Terrell and son are spending a few days in the country with her parents.

Truman Brose and family are now residents of this place.

Frank Ellis and wife are rejoicing over the arrival of a son on Saturday at their home north of town.

L. L. Paris and family and W. H. McClellan and wife spent Sunday at the home of John Gilliland.

The infant son of Frank Paris and wife was interred in the Masonic Cemetery Sunday.

Grant Hopkins left this morning for a two weeks stay in Arkansas.

Elit Rea and wife, of Warren, Ind., are guests of W. A. Saylor and wife and other relatives here since Tuesday of last week.

C. A. Michael and wife entertained at dinner Sunday several relatives, including Mr. and Mrs. Rea, of Indiana.

O. F. Roush is spending a few days with his family.

Miss Maggie Kellis, of Cairo, Ill., came home last night to spend a short time with her mother.

Mrs. Neill, of Glencoe, Ky., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. L. Staunier.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Robinson and daughter, Mrs. Arthur Hopkins, and Mrs. M. E. Sauner attended the funeral of Miss Sophia Robinson at Hillsboro Tuesday.

Rev. C. W. Briggs and wife, of Westville, are spending a few days with their many friends here.

Dana McAdow is spending a few days in Springfield.

A number of Lynchburg people attended the Hillsboro fair last week.

Mrs. Herchel Henderson entertained at her beautiful home Tuesday evening her Sunday School class in honor of three of the members, Misses Hazel Galliett, Norine DeLaney and Sylvia West, who will spend the winter in school at Oxford. Dainty refreshments were served, and a very pleasant evening was enjoyed.

James Laymon and wife were in Wilmington Wednesday.

Mrs. Naomi Faris is a visitor in Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Dumenill left Monday morning for a two weeks visit.

Amos Grove has traded his farm near Hoaglands for the Chas. Warwick property on Railroad street and will take possession Nov. 1.

Misses Edna McChristy, of Oxford, and Alice Swabbe, of Cincinnati, spent last week at the home of V. E. Duncanson and wife.

Col. West and family entertained the following at their home Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Bennett West and son, of Cuba, Chas. Haynes and wife and the Misses Hill and McClure, of Hillsboro, Dr. West and wife and Mr. and Mrs. John Matthews and daughter, of Sabina.

George West and wife were guests of a friend at Hillsboro last week.

Sunday at the home of Harley Cochran, of near Harwood.

Misses Nelle DeLaney and Hazel Galliett were with Freda Lafferty Sunday afternoon near Dodsonville.

Of the nine graduates of the class of 1911, five enter college. Miss Norine DeLaney left Tuesday for The Western at Oxford. Misses Hazel Galliett and Sylvia West leaving Monday morning for the Miami University at Oxford. Wendell Berry leaving for Delaware and Clifford Shaper leaves soon for Business College. Their many friends wish them great success.

## BILLS ALLOWED

To Whom Paid and For What Purpose the Money of the County is Expended.

J. Strain & Son, livery, \$6.  
John Q. Roads, freight and drayage, 87 cents.

Barrett Bros., supplies clerk, \$9.50.  
Dayton Bk. Book & Printing Co., supplies, \$39.75.

W. J. Moore, labor, \$39.50.  
Central Union Tel. Co., rentals, \$5.  
Van B. Wright, tolls, \$1.35.

Newt Barrett, livery Sheriff, \$19.50.  
Newt Barrett, livery Auditor, \$4.  
Central Union Tel. Co., tolls, \$1.35.

Chas. D. Johnson, supplies, \$1.25.  
W. H. Stange & Co., supplies, \$61.25.  
Gilbert Pavey & Son, burial Ordway Smith, \$75.

H. W. Hunter, ser Surveyor, \$29.00.  
H. W. Hunter, ser deputy Surveyor, \$25.

Chas. F. Clarke, work on road maps, \$43.90.

A. J. Tolle, damage by roadway, \$10.  
H. F. Tedrick, masonry, \$38.93.  
Vanmater & Weishaupt, bridge repairs, \$45.

Stanley Holladay, bridge work, \$9.40.  
Thos. Wheelen, bridge work, \$2.50.  
C. I. Weiler, bridge work, \$3.

J. W. Fenwick, supt labor on bridge, \$27.  
Dodson & Wardlow, cement and labor, \$40.05.

Dodson & Wardlow, stone work, \$212.22.

W. H. Sonner, lumber and labor, \$37.26.

Wm. Carr, hauling culvert, \$28.80.  
Reuben Grandle, masonry, \$34.25.

Greenfield Lum Co., lumber, \$15.84.  
Jas. R. Wolf, painting bridge, \$44.  
C. D. Eubanks, rep bridge, \$20.75.

Ora Leininger, rep bridge, \$3.25.  
Walter Moberly, lumber, \$42.41.  
Belleson Bros., lumber, \$6.50.

W. T. Kelly, hauling sewer pipe, \$18.  
J. C. Dunlap, abutment work, \$1.  
Arthur Motz, bridge repairs, \$7.

John F. Smith, masonry, \$323.53.  
Jos. Pollitt, masonry, \$126.  
J. A. White, masonry, \$244.30.

Dodson & Wardlow, masonry, \$24.  
Jno. T. Luft, bridge repair, \$19.20.  
Ben F. Faris, work on pike, \$39.90.

Ed. Bean, work on pike, \$406.95.  
Mose Milner, posts and hauling, \$30.30.  
Sam Turner, work on pike, \$2.

H. P. Chaney, work on pike, \$12.05.  
W. A. Wright, work on pike, \$97.10.  
Everett Carr, work on pike, \$118.39.

Thos. Wheelen, work on pike, \$20.  
Jno. F. Luft, work on pike, \$424.30.  
J. W. Emery, work on pike, \$151.21.

T. H. Harrington, work on pike, \$10.  
Joe C. Roush, work on pike, \$6.75.  
J. R. Woolums, work on pike, \$153.81.

E. J. Fenwick, work on pike, \$119.25.  
Champion Bridge Co., bridge, \$144.  
W. E. Alexander, bridge rep, \$139.50.

Peter Weishaupt, bridge rep, \$124.15.  
Stanley Holladay, bridge rep, \$121.95.  
J. N. Fenner, bridge rep, \$28.95.

Paul Walt, bridge rep, \$2.40.  
T. H. Strobel, bridge rep, \$44.80.  
H. C. Sanders, hauling sewer pipe, \$2.

Patton & Sons, crushed stone, \$375.  
Ed Bean, crushed stone, \$255.  
C. C. Walker, coal, \$7.70.

Jas. Adams, coal, \$31.74.  
Johnson Hdw. Co., hardware, \$10.41.  
Highland Corporation, street repairs, \$100.

Leesburg Corporation, street repairs, \$150.  
Lynchburg Corporation, street repairs, \$150.

Lukemire & Miller, coal, \$19.91.  
W. E. Alexander, work on pike, \$24.  
J. H. Wolfe, coal, \$6.75.

Standard Oil Co., oil for road, \$127.80.  
C. C. Winkle, raising bridge, \$23.  
George Bruce, refunder, \$7.78.

Death of Miss Sophia Robinson.

Miss Sophia Robinson, aged 27 years, died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McAdow Robinson, Saturday, after a lingering illness with cancer. The cancer was on her shoulder and developed about a year ago. It grew into her breast and caused her death.

The funeral services were held at the Christian church Tuesday morning, conducted by Rev. Frank Foust, of Pricetown, assisted by Dr. J. R. Colley, of the Methodist church. Interment was made at Mowrystown.

She is survived by her parents and two sisters, Mrs. Carey Roush, of Hillsboro, and Mrs. Otho Jackson, of Nelsonville, and one brother, Frank, of this place.

If you enjoy a good novel you should read our new serial, "My Lady of the North," which begins in our next issue.

## JAPANESE IDEA BEST

FLOWERS SHOULD NEVER BE CROWDED INTO BOWLS.

One Perfect Blossom More Beautiful Than a Bunch—How to Obtain Artistic Effects in House Decoration.

The most artistic effects with cut flowers are had by selecting the jar holding them with regard to the blossoms themselves and using only a few flowers at a time. The mistake made by a girl who is not in the habit of fixing flowers for the house, is to crowd the bowls and vases. The Japanese idea, which is fast gaining ground here, that one perfect flower by itself is more beautiful than a bunch of the same, may be demonstrated by any girl to her own satisfaction.

Invaluable in gaining artistic effects are those small iron rings which, dropped into a flat dish or bowl, serve as a support for the stem, so that each flower will stand without resting against the sides of the receptacle. These iron or bronze rings are to be had in all flower shops and almost wherever brass pots are sold. They are shaped in various forms, sometimes being turtles with punctured back, triangles, circles, crescents, etc. All are inexpensive.

It is a small turtle, and the finest copper bowl, upon which one girl relies for the finishing touch on the table in her own sitting room. The bowl is three inches high and about the same distance across the opening. It tapers slightly to the base, and is lined with transparent enamel. In this rests always a turtle about two inches long. Into his back is thrust the floral burden, beginning in the spring with jonquills. Three jonquills with a few sprays of their own foliage make a most charming effect. Later two irises are enough at a time, for they are of large size, and more would be confusing to the eye. Wild flowers of various kinds are used when they can be had, and if the stems are too small it is a simple matter to pack the hole with a little foliage crushed in. It is not unsightly and makes the stem firm. A small bunch of mignonette, thrust into one hole of the turtle, the turtle then being in a shallow green dish, suggests a little green fountain with a pool beneath.

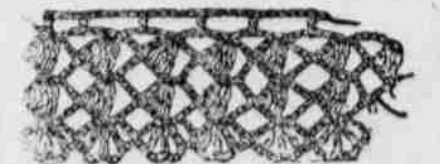
Almost without exception garden flowers look better in china and metal receptacles than in cut glass. Nothing lovelier can be imagined than white and blue larkspur in a low copper bowl or a brass jar; in glass it does not begin to be as effective. The same is true of other out of door blooms. Brass and copper, especially the latter, when polished, add a most delicate note to the color scheme.

It is a mistake to mix flowers when arranging them. Generally speaking, they are infinitely lovelier if each kind is kept by itself. There are, however, some which are more effective in combination, as, for example, mignonette. The latter is nice with any flowers not having foliage, as it supplies the required green.

## PRETTY DESIGN IN CROCHET

Beginner as Well as the Expert Will Enjoy Making This and Having It When Made.

Work 5 chain, a treble in the fifth from hook, 2 more trebles in same stitch as last, each treble to be drawn out a trifle longer than its predecessor; 4 chain 3 trebles in the last treble of the previous group, 5 chain 1 treble in last made treble. \* 3 chain 1 treble in same stitch as last, 3 chain 1 treble in same stitch as last, 5 chain 1 double crochet in same as the trebles, 7 chain 1 double crochet in the same stitch as the last group of trebles was worked into, 7 chain double crochet into the same stitch as the first group of trebles was worked into. 9 chain, catch to the middle of the last made 7 chain, 3 trebles in fourth of 9 chain, 3 chain, catch to middle of next 7 chain, 3 trebles in top of last treble of previous group, 3 chain.



For the heading: Work a treble under each loop, with 7 chain between the trebles.

Padding Embroidery.

Where heavy padding is desired under embroidery, try using little wads of raw cotton instead of filling in the padded space with many, many stitches of darning thread.

To pad a scallop, catch up a bit of raw cotton in your fingers and roll it between the thumb and forefinger until it is the length of the scallop, thick in the center but tapering to a mere thread at each end. Lay this on the scallop and with a few stitches catch to the material. Embroider over it in the usual way.

Flowers have their petals padded by making little cushion-like wads of cotton and catching them down to the material, well inside of the working line, with ordinary sewing cotton.

Coirdots and ribbon designs are treated accordingly.

## INTERESTING DESCRIPTION

(Continued From First Page.)

on the way then. We then drove on to a Mr. Quinlan's near by who owns 20 acres next Miss Hosie, and with whom she had had some correspondence. His home is about a half mile down the road, where they have a very nice house, big orchard, flowers, chickens and ducks. Mrs. Quinlan is a handsome woman and her house was beautifully furnished. They could not find her husband but he came into town that evening and called on us, telling us much about the country. He expects to build a fine residence on the corner near us.

We then drove around the mesa to Mr. Ellicker's. He was a schoolmate of mine and she the librarian at Highland Park. Where they live the houses are as close together as in town. They have a small house but are to build a fine house soon next her brother's, Dr. Dennis, who has an elegant home heated by furnace and all wired for electric lighting, which the people expect to have soon. We are going to walk out to the Ellicker's this evening for supper.

After these calls we returned to Mrs. Cooper's for dinner. They just came from Nebraska in February and are living in their barn but have their cellar dug for their house. She had a piano, leather couch, leather seated dining room chairs, Haviland china, cut glass pitcher, glasses, etc. After dinner she and her little girl got into our buggy and we drove up onto the Mesa five miles to see the siphon which is a rare sight. We then drove down to see what a potato digging machine was like and get a sample potato. It is now lying by my hand and large enough for a family meal. The potato crop here this year is wonderful. In a few instances the returns are almost beyond belief. The M. E. minister rented 10 acres of land five miles from here and put it into potatoes. He has dug 2 acres and received \$350 for them and says he expects to sell \$2500 worth from the 10 acres. This is unusual but every one who has "spuds", as they call them, is making a fortune on them.

Our land is fruit land but must be cropped to get it into condition for trees. It is a red soil with black stones all over it. These stones have to be picked up, the irrigation ditches made and fencing done, so we will probably have to let the man have the first crop for getting it into shape. After that it will be in fine shape for anything. Every man around said there was no finer land around than ours. Mr. Ellicker's and everybody else's for that matter—trees are just loaded with the most perfect apples. The majority of orchards are new and not bearing yet. You should see the pears, plums and prunes where the trees are old enough. Mr. Dennis, Mrs. Ellicker's brother, who lives right near us, invited us to call on them yesterday and when we walked up we found a tall white haired lady in a beautiful house, with open piano, her own paintings on the wall, fancy work lying around and everything betokening refinement. She insisted on our taking off our hats as she had just dressed a chicken for our supper. She was formerly a teacher and taught in Villisca, where her sister now lives. They offered to go over to our place with us, he taking his shovel along and digging down to show us the soil, finding our corner stakes and telling us in what direction our ditch should run, etc. They then showed us their orchard, garden, cistern, etc. They have been here three years and like everyone we meet are very enthusiastic over conditions. A pipe line is to go right by our land carrying mountain water. The town is putting in a large reservoir about a mile from us and the people on the hill have petitioned to tap the reservoir and construct a private line. This will cost, but not so much as making a well and will add to the value of the land. An electric car line has been surveyed near us and it is quite probable will be built some time as they can get water power for running it. If these things materialize it will be like a little city up there. After supper Mr. Dennis took us up town in his buggy. We are to walk out to Mr. Cooper's tomorrow afternoon and take supper and arrange our terms for next year.

We shall probably leave here Tuesday, stopping over night at several places instead of taking a sleeper. It is cheaper, less tiresome and will give us daylight all the way.

We begin work a week from Thursday and I must be there a few days before.

You better read this by installments as it has been written. The ink part was written in the office the other in my room. Lovingly

ETTA.

"Been taxing your eyes lately?" asked the oculist.

"Yes," said the patient; "I looked all through a newspaper of 144 pages, which came through the mail to me bearing the words 'marked copy.'"

"No wonder your eyes smart!"

"Oh, but that isn't the worst of it. I didn't find anything marked."—Buffalo Express.

## FORT HILL.

September 18, 1911.

Mart. Stanley, wife and baby called on their cousin, Mrs. Mary A. Crum and son, of Fowler, Kan., Sunday afternoon at the home of the former's aunt, Mrs. Rhoads, of near Cliff Range.

Joe and Rosco Hockman who have been employed near Leesburg are at home for a few days.

Bess L. Butler was very pleasantly entertained at the home of J. P. Havens, Sunday.

Robert Treaber, wife and baby, of Cliff Range, spent Sunday with Mrs. Treaber's brother, Fred Rhoads.

Charlie Keplinger and son, who have been employed at Washington, C. H., spent Sunday with the former's wife and mother.

Miss Melva Hockman is the guest of friends at Sinking Spring this week.

Mrs. Rebecca Stults is spending this week with her niece Mrs. Mary Bobb.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Countryman, of Middletown, are the guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. Latha Reed.

Walter Rhoads and family removed to James C. Copeland's residence in Bellhollow, Sunday.

## MAPLE GROVE.

September 18, 1911.

W. E. Fawley and wife were guests of L. H. Mock and wife, Sunday.

P. Q. Fenner and wife entertained a number of their friends Sunday.

Miss Nellie Winkle spent last week at Dayton, visiting Mrs. Mollie Martin and Mrs. Ben Meyers.

L. H. Furstenberger attended the District conventions of the Churches of Christ at Peebles and Bethel last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Winkle, of Buford, visited his mother here Sunday.

Harley Lauderback, Clyde Montgomery, Howard and Blanche Burns are attending High School at Mowrystown.

Raymond Fawley visited his friend Hoyt Mock, Sunday.

Our school is progressing nicely under the able instructions of Alson Earhart, of Buford.

## Marriage Licenses.

Frank Haywood, of Marshall, and Edith M. Bumgarner, of Hillsboro.

Will G. Shivers, of New Petersburg, and Lulu Powell, of Rainsboro.

Lyle George Morton, of New Vienna and Helen Victoria Hull, of Greenfield.

Charles Rolf and Maggie Pierson, both of New Vienna.

Edward Mustard, of Raredon, and Pearl Lynch, of Lynchburg.

Thomas L. Gony, of Indianapolis, Ind., and Alice E. Boyle, of Berryville.

"For Every Living Thing On The Farm"

Free; a 500 page book on the treatment and care of "Every Living Thing on the Farm;" horses, cattle, dogs, sheep, hogs and poultry, by Humphreys' Veterinary Specifics; also a stable chart for ready reference, to hang up. Free by mail on application. Address Humphreys Homeo Med. Co., Corner Williams & Ann Sts., N. Y.

Japan has now 45 gas companies, an increase of 38 in four years. All are private concerns with the exception of the Yokokama municipal gas plant. Twenty seven new gas plants are being established in cities and villages throughout the empire, the total capitalization of all the private concerns in Japan being upward of \$50,000,000.

Orphan asylums are unknown in Australia. Every destitute orphan child is sent to a private family, which takes care of it until it is 14 years of age, and is remunerated by the government.

## Peoples' Column

## FOR SALE.

All kinds of farmstead town properties for sale. WADE TURNER, Merchants Bank Building.

Money to loan on real estate. Wade Turner

Farm and Town property always for sale. Money loaned on Real Estate. WADE TURNER, Merchants Bank Bldg.

FOR SALE—500 shocks of corn and fodder on my farm near Careytown. R. G. MEDSKER.

FOR SALE—Carload of A No. 1 cider barrels. Barrels stored in rear of Lemon, Kesler & Co's. blacksmith shop. Inquire at shop. W. J. MOORE.

FOR SALE—A few Shropshire ram and ram lambs ready for service. Walnut Grove and Homestead Stock Farms. FOSTER H. G. BELL, Mgr., Marshall, Ohio.

Lost—A gold Scarf Pin of knot design with small stone in center. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at this office.

FOR SALE—Ford Motor Car. More and better equipment than on the regular car. Larger wheels, all 3-1-2 inch tire, front and rear. New, right from factory, run only from Cincinnati to Hillsboro. If sold at once I will make price \$150 less than factory cost. Reason for selling, am buying an electric car. H. W. SPARGUR, Hillsboro, Ohio.

BALTIMORE & OHIO SOUTHWESTERN R.R.

POPULAR EXCURSION

To Cincinnati, September 17, \$1.00. ATTRACTIONS—Base Ball, Philadelphia vs. Cincinnati. Zoological Garden. Matinees at the Various Theatres.

POPULAR EXCURSION, SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17.

Columbus, Mt. Sterling \$1.40. Washington, C. H., Sabina \$1.10. Wilmington \$5 cents.

Low one way rates to California, Oregon, Washington and the West September 15 to October 15.

For further information call on or address

H. C. STEVENSON, Division Passenger Agt., Chillicothe, Oh; Samuel Griffin, Agt., Hillsboro, Ohio.

Digestion and Assimilation.

It is not the quantity of food taken but the amount digested and assimilated that gives strength and vitality to the system. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets invigorate the stomach and liver and enable them to perform their functions naturally. For sale by all dealers.

The life of a goldfish is rarely more than five years in captivity under the most favorable circumstances.

## Second Fall Opening

THURSDAY SEPT. 21, 1911

Showing All the Latest Ideas

## Pattern Hats

Tailored Hats

Pressed Hats

Novelties

THIS DISPLAY WILL BE UP-TO-THE-MINUTE

Mrs. Alice Kirk